

## CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY

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1. In Szczecin (Stettin) it is reported that civilians were forced to move out of homes on Ulica Lukasika, Ulica Spoldzielcza, and Ulica Leszczynskiego. The houses have been equipped to station troops and for other military uses. These three streets are located east of the part of the city called Pogodno, which was earlier used for quartering Soviet troops and for other purposes.
2. On Hel Peninsula, the Polish units have sent the older men home and have replaced them with two-year recruits. The officers are reported to be predominantly Soviet. Small Soviet units are reportedly stationed on Hel Peninsula also.
3.   armed resistance groups have increased their activity. This is especially the case in the northeastern part of the country, in the provinces of Olsztyn (Allenstein) and Bialystok. In October there were about 200 wounded soldiers from the KBW military unit at the hospital in Lomoza (70 kilometers west of Bialystok). This unit had been fighting with the "forest-people". In other parts of the country there has been resistance activity on a smaller scale. In this connection, southeastern Poland and the areas around Bydgoszcz and Poznan are especially mentioned. According to unconfirmed information, partisans have appeared even near Pultusk, only 50 kilometers from Warsaw,

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